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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE  
IN RE APPLICATION OF  
Bahram Mechanic  
SERIAL NO.: 10/692,298

DOCKET NO. 043481.04

EXAMINER:  
Luis Enrique Roman

FILED: October 23, 2003

TITLE: Surge Suppression Apparatus  
Including An LC Neutral-Ground Filter

GROUP ART UNIT: 2836

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request an Extension of one month in the period to respond to the Final Office Action mailed November 6, 2006 in the above-identified case.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge BRACEWELL & GIULIANI LLP Deposit Account 50-0259 (043481.04) in the amount of \$455 (\$395 RCE and \$60 for the one month extension of time [small entity]).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Albert B. Kimball, Jr.", written over a horizontal line.

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